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LETTER OF
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Sir:

Applicants in the above-captioned patent application, by and through their attorney of record, hereby expressly abandons the application as of the filing date of this letter.

It is respectfully requested that the Patent and Trademark Office promptly acknowledge abandonment of the application as of the filing date of this letter in a communication mailed to the undersigned.

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Respectfully submitted,

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